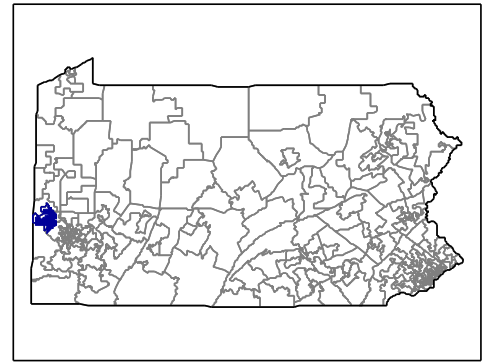


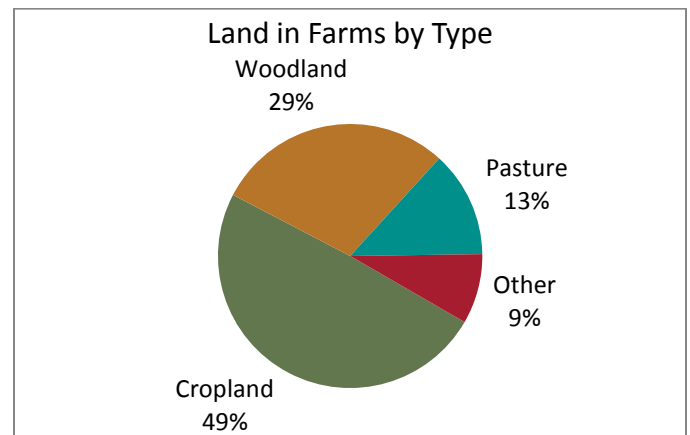
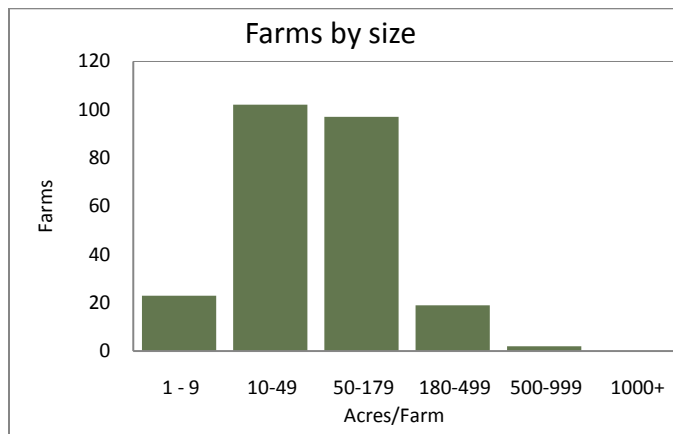
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	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	364	261	+ 39
<b>Number of Farms</b>	243	161	+ 51
<b>Land in Farms</b>	18,390 acres	14,695 acres	+ 25
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	76 acres	91 acres	- 16
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	43 acres	8 acres	+ 438
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$4,320,000	\$3,231,000	+ 34
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$17,779	\$20,068	- 11
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$259,000	\$83,000	+ 212
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$57,000	\$100,000	- 43
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,180	\$6,223	- 49



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#### Ranked items among the 203 house districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	4,320	107	176
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	1,138	122	171
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	3,182	91	165
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	318	104	143
Tobacco	-	-	30
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	213	105	148
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	108	107	140
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	183	134	152
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	65	57	125
Other crops and hay	250	95	152
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	147
Cattle and calves	405	91	149
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2,036	90	128
Hogs and pigs	(D)	51	128
Sheep, goats, and their products	34	72	134
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	22	105	135
Aquaculture	-	-	83
Other animals and other animal products	17	86	130
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	3,846	87	157
Corn for grain	992	105	142
Soybeans for beans	(D)	(D)	121
Oats for grain	204	69	123
Corn for silage or greenchop	178	102	128
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Layers	(D)	(D)	141
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	34	112
Cattle and calves	2,112	87	151
Hogs and pigs	(D)	58	127
Sheep and lambs	598	54	138

#### Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	128	Farming	90
\$1,000 to \$2,499	31	Other	153
\$2,500 to \$4,999	27		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	19	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	10	Male	196
\$20,000 to \$24,999	4	Female	47
\$25,000 to \$39,999	9		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	59
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	3	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	American Indian or Alaskan Native	-
\$500,000 or more	3	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	3,966	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	16,321	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	671	White	348
Average per farm (\$)	2,760	More than one race	-
		All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of house districts in state with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.